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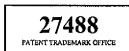
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Title:	AUTOMATIC HEIGHT ADJUSTMENT FOR ELECTRONIC HIGHLIGHTER PENS AND MOUSING DEVICES		

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114, it is respectfully requested that this application be accorded the benefits of Continued Examination. A copy of the Amendment filed on June 25, 2009, is attached hereto.

The amount of \$810 to cover the required fee for a large entity is being paid via credit card.

Respectfully submitted,

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